



4.2 percent alcohol. A

favorite beer among GC

men is the classic Bud

Light. You always know

what you are getting

when you order a Bud

drinker is still getting the

same average amount of

alcohol as everyone else.



#### **About This Issue...**

The Colonnade staff decided to have this special issue dedicated to people of legal drinking age. The Colonnade does not advocate underage drinking at all and this issue is not to promote drinking if you are under 21. For the recipes and healthy drinking options, there are always nonalcoholic options. For drinking in general, there are other options rather than going out or drinking. The staff does not want anyone to feel pressured to drink or feel as if drinking is the only way to have fun in Milledgeville. We are not writing these articles to tell people to get drunk. Getting drunk is not what we are advocating, rather having a safe and fun time enjoying the age when you can legally consume

The reason why we decided to publish an issue dedicated to this activity is because as a student paper, we realize that going out to the bars, trying new drinks and socially drinking becomes a fun thing to do after you turn 21 in a college town. Also, with Oktoberfest coming up in less than a month, it's cool to highlight something that has become a common use of time. Oktoberfest is heavily celebrated in Helen, Georgia, a town only a few hours away from us.

Not only are we covering alcohol and the options legal drinkers have, we have included resources of how to get home safely, getting help, if needed, with alcohol abuse, counseling centers and resources for safe drinking.

It's important to know your options for not drinking as well as knowing safe ways to drink.

The Colonnade wants readers to be aware that there are four editors on staff that are not 21:

Sam Jones, Nick Landon, Sydney Chacon and Angela Moryan. None of these editors wrote any articles involving alcohol except Angela who wrote an article about drinking in Italy, where the legal drinking age is 18. At the time of consumption, she was 20.

Remember, if you are of legal drinking age, drink responsibly.

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I'm going on a date to Dodo's this weekend and I've never been more excited for a date.

One time, I danced on a table.

I love beer.

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#### KNOW YOURSELF, KNOW YOUR DRINK BUD LIGHT MARGARITA 5.3 ounces. Margaritas a risk because if the bar serving them isn't a Mexican focused bar you risk drinking the same generic margarita mix served at your mom's tennis matches. Make sure you order it from someone who knows what they're doing.



1.5 ounces. This is undisputed favorite of Georgia College women according to their friendly neighborhood bartenders. It's about as low calorie as a drink can be but the



MILLERLITE

4.2 percent alcohol. The

addition of the Miller

Lite re-sealable twist

cap has made this beer

the champion of travel

drinking. In the bar

setting, it is a practical

choice because when

you have the option of

resealing it's less likely

that the drink is passively

chugged down in a matter

of minutes.





the list but has passionate, loyal supporters. When the original poll taken for this article did not include WaHo, alumni Tyler Kemp was quick to comment, "You didn't put WH on here..." He received significant support once Waffle House was added to the poll. While most students consider Waffle House a day-after drinking establishment to get good coffee and mouth watering breakfast foods, it is still a tried and true late

alcohol just makes you hungry. For this reason, late night eateries were invented. After a night of fun in downtown Milledgeville, the bars close up and the lights come on and the most natural human instinct hits like a train: hunger (must... eat... food). Students flee to the few nocturnal restaurants and throw whatever change they have left after paying their bar tabs to fast food workers. This article takes a look at the merits of late-night Milledgeville's most popular food sources. The popularity of the restaurant was determined

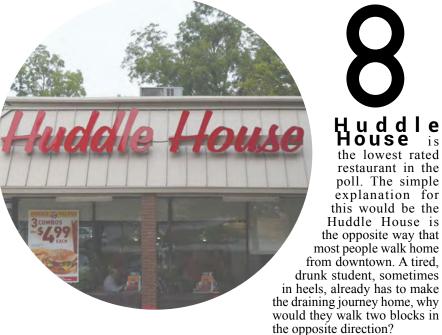
followed by a blood sugar

crash that leaves the drinker desperately hungry. In short,

by a poll of 200 students.

and salsa are the only options for late night food which might explain Gringos fewer votes than the top four but a strong options none the less for cheese-lovers everywhere.

Much like the Golden Pantry, **Barbs** quickly serves good food at a fairly reasonable price and is in a prime location in downtown Milledgeville. However Barberitos is only open late night on certain days of the week and the heartbreak of knocking on a locked Barbs door at 2:17 a.m. is too much sadness for any student to bear



Taco Bell has the same distance issue as Cookout, only much worse. Taco Bell however, is incredibly consistent and popular not only in Milledgeville but in other towns, which makes it a safe bet for those who know exactly what they want to eat and will settle for nothing else.

**Anything and Everything You Can** Find Randomly In **Your Kitchen** 

> Cookout only came to Milledgeville two years ago, but it arrived with a huge impact. Food options span from quesadillas to the classic hamburger to wraps to milkshakes and more. The options are endless and the prices bring grateful tears to the eyes of all struggling, starving college students. The only flaw for Cookout is too far from downtown to walk to. This requires a taxi or a designated driver, and on a campus where the majority of

poll. The simple explanation for

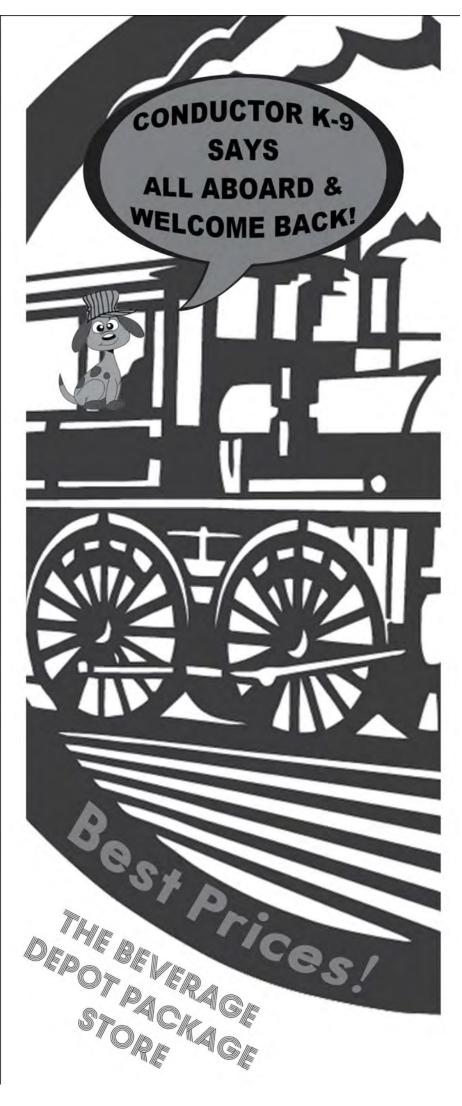
this would be the

students can walk or take S.N.A.P. home, this may pose an issue.

## MILLEDGEVILLE'S number one AFTER-HOURS RESTAURANT:



Golden Pantry is indisputably the most popular late night restaurant. Not only is the food hot and delicious, but the proximity of GP to downtown makes it one of the safest and easiest places for drinkers to dine because there is no need to drive there from downtown. Add these factors to the reasonable prices and the convenience of also being in a gas station if there's anything you may need to pick up, it's clear why Golden Pantry is the winner.



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The staff at **Gringos** 

brings their A game

on a nightly basis with

margaritas, atmosphere

that is still somewhat new

and queso that is essentially

liquefied heaven. Chips, queso

#### Huddle House is the lowest rated restaurant in the

Alcoholic beverages have been around for centuries, but few know the secret to brewing a successful swig of beer. The process may seem difficult, but the beer-brewing basics aren't as complicated as 21-year-olds might think.

Before you start, it is necessary to obtain the basic equipment, including a fermentation jug, syphon, tubing, cleaners, bottles and caps, yeast, malt, hops and certain grains or spices, depending on the recipe you choose. A beer brewing starter kit can be purchased online for as little as \$40.

The next thing you must do is to sanitize everything, literally. If any equipment is not properly sanitized it's possible for bacteria to accumulate in your mix, which leads to a not-so-tasty brew. It may end up smelling like vinegar or tasting like cardboard. Unless that sounds good to you, take this step seriously.

You begin the brewing process by boiling malt, hops and water. Place crushed grains in a grain bag and steep in boiling water at 150 degrees Fahrenheit, for 20 minutes. This process extracts the sugar from the grains and creates unfermented beer, or wort.

Take out the grain bag and boil the wort for an hour. During this step you can add ingredients such as flavoring hops, spices, like orange peel or cinnamon, or aroma hops. Milk stouts, for example, have lactose added at this stage. Lactose is a type of sugar that yeast can't ferment, so it adds a creamy, sweet flavor to the end product.

Next, add yeast to this mixture. The yeast will turn the sugars into alcohol. Wait until your wort mixture is cooled, and add the yeast so fermentation can begin.

Fermentation takes about seven days. Towards the end of day seven, the fermentation stage will be ending and the clearing stage will begin. Syphon the beer into another sterilized container for about seven more days for the clearing stage.

Once everything is fermented and cleared you can bottle the beer.

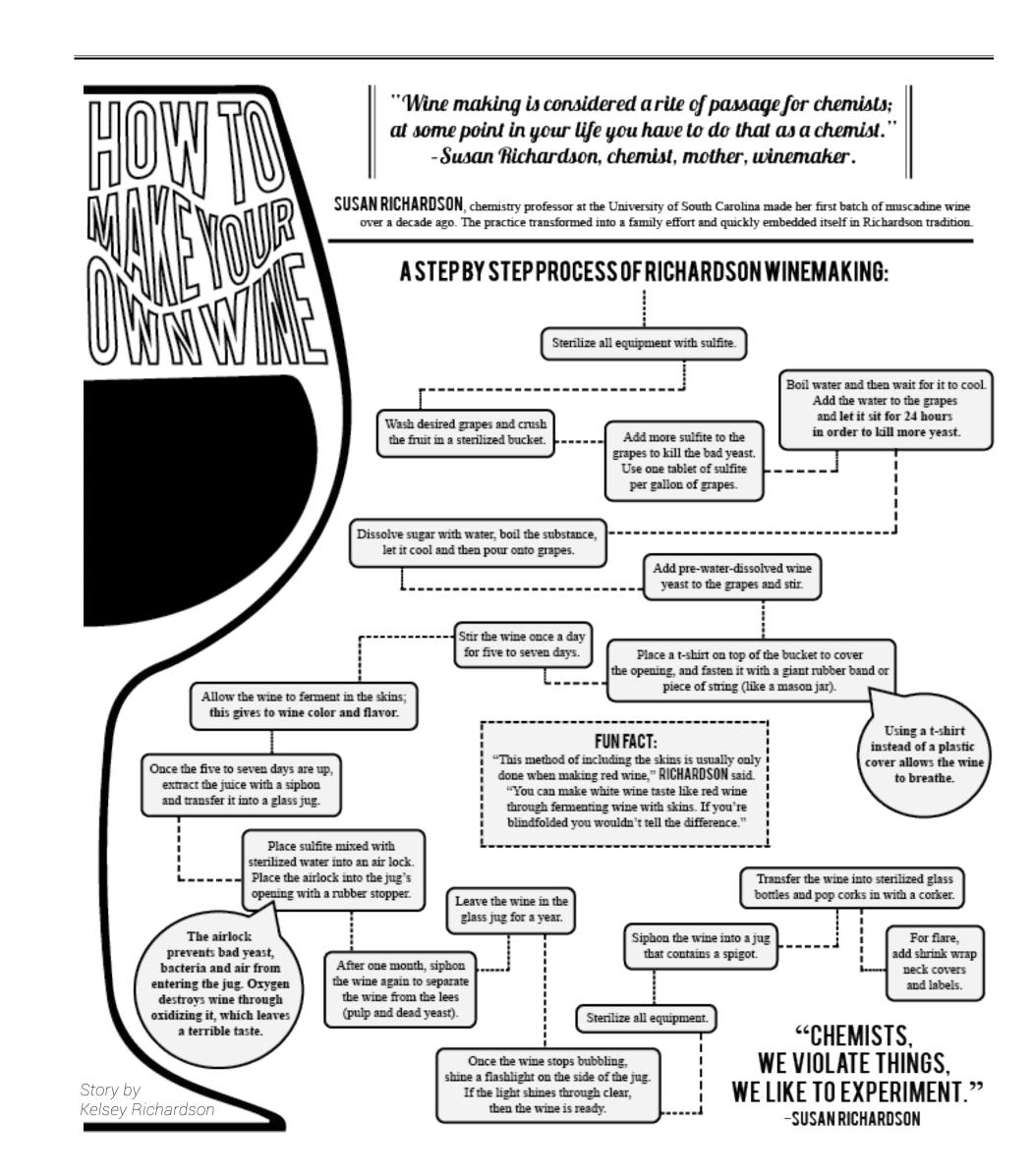
Carbonation takes a little while once the beer is bottled, so 10 to

20 days after bottling you can put the bottles in the fridge

and enjoy the fruits of your labor!

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For more information, visit northernbrewer.com.



## DRANGON A BUDGET





Amanda @gcsunade

As the illustrious Kanye West once said, "We broke." Most college kids can relate **Tuesday:** to this tragic sentiment. We face the constant struggle of have all day/night happy wanting to enjoy ourselves hour, and Gringos has allwhen we're not busy, but we usually lack the funds to do so. Fortunately, there are several ways to get your share of spirits without making your bank account \$1 off drafts during dinner

a fun night out on the town, same specials as Monday it would be wise to take night, with happy hour note of the nightly specials starting at 10 p.m. at some of the popular downtown bars.

#### Monday:

Gringos has a buy one get head over to Gringos for \$8.50 microbrew pitchers. one deals on happy hour \$10 bottomless wine. The

\$3 off pitchers and Amici has \$3 bombs and \$6.50 domestic pitchers to be enjoyed along with trivia.

Amici and Velvet Elvis night \$8 margarita pitchers.

#### Wednesday:

At The Brick, you can get \$10 bottles of wine or and late night hours. You If you're looking to have can return to Amici for the

#### Thursday:

From 10 p.m. to

drafts, Velvet Elvis has wristband also lets you drink bottomless wine at Aubri Lane's

At Amici, you can get half-price bottles of wine or \$1 off martinis, and at Gringos, you can pay \$10 of your spirit of choice for bottomless margaritas from 10 p.m. to midnight.

#### **Saturday:**

Ladies, head on over to Amici for ladies night, where you and the gals can get \$3 wells and martinis.

Round out the weekend with \$2.50 mimosas, \$3.50 "manmosas" and Bloody Marys at The Brick. Or, build your own Bloody midnight, Amici has \$2 Mary or mimosa at Amici The Brick has \$6 domestic drafts, or if you're for \$3. Amici also offers domestic draft pitchers, in the wine mood, you can \$6.50 domestic pitchers and

a night in, stop by a liquor store and stock up on your favorites, and be sure to keep a savvy eye out for sales. Senior Management major Rebecca Reed advises buying large bottles when they're on sale to save money. Gil's Package Store usually has several deals and specials going on at once, such as their current

If you're feeling more of

(and highly recommended) \$13 for three bottles of Barefoot wine. To save money, graduate student Brittan Edwards

recommends brewing your own beer instead of buying traditional six or 12 packs. You can read more about on brewing your own beer on

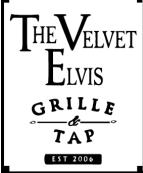
And a friendly reminder: stay safe, drink responsibly and please remember to always tip your bartenders.

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Happy Hour at Buffington's lasts from 3-7 p.m. daily, where you can get \$2 wells or \$1 off drafts or liquor. And every night, you can get \$2 shots or \$2.50 wells from 10-11 p.m.

You can get \$1 off drafts or wells from 3-6 p.m. Monday-Friday, and \$2 shots and \$3 bombs 10 p.m. to 2 a.m. Monday-Thursday.



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happy hour daily from 4-7 p.m. They offer \$1.50 drafts and wells

#### Tried and brewed

it's like the Short List, but with Andrew Podo's favorite beers



Podo @podostick

Allagash White

Sweet malts, slight hoppy

hints of grass, flowers, honey

and the wonderfully smooth

yeasts make Portland, Maine's

Allagash White my favorite

Northern beer. The Belgian-

style witbier blends wilderness

and civilization, reminding

you of sunny summer days

spent lazily canoeing along

gently flowing rivers.

#### Orpheus Brewing's Atalanta

#### namely my favorite thing - beer. Atlanta's Orpheus Brewing makes, without a doubt, the best beer in the Southeast. Sure, Asheville probably has a better brewing scene, and I love Terrapin, but their tart plum saison blends everything I love about Atlanta and beer. A hint of sweetness, a whole lot of sour funkiness and a mildly spicy finish blends oddities with the comforts of

Oregon's rogue brewing is

weird. They've run with the

Pacific Northwest hipster vibe,

brewing beers that taste like

donuts, bacon and sriracha hot

sauce. While they brew alien,

off-putting experimental beer,

they never let the classics go

bad. Their American Amber

ale is strong, crisp and just

plain good. It's an embodiment

of the spirit and idiosyncrasies

of the Northwest, crafting a

beer that blends traditional

something weird, hip and

unfathomably interesting.

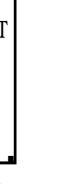
There's no place like home.

Dorothy Gale's wisdom applies to all things in life,

#### Roque Brewing American Amber Ale

#### Sierra Nevada Pale Ale

If it ain't broke, don't fix it. The age-old adage applies beautifully to California's Sierra Nevada brewery. The historic craft brewery does the classics well, and no beer shows it better than their pale ale. The hoppy, crisp and refreshing brew is a staple across the country, and for a damn good reason.



Velvet Elvis has or \$2 glasses of wine.

#### **New Belgium Fat Tire**



## THE COLONNADE

DEAR READERS

#### **Alcohol safety tips**

1. Know your limit & plan

2. Eat food before and while you drink.

Sip your drink (slow

4. Skip a drink now and then alcoholic drink (another great tip is to have a glass of water with your drink, and sip on that between sips of vour drink).

5. Beware of unfamiliar drinks. 6. Appoint a designated

American goodness with

individuals who do not alcohol you will be having wish to drink

8. Keep track of how many drinks you are consuming.

9. Drink for quality vs.

10. Avoid drinking games.

Space your drinks

11. Plan ahead for transportation — don't drink and drive!

12. Never accept a drink from someone you don't

13. When ordering a drink at the bar, watch the bartender make your drink Respect the rights of so you can know how much

14 Alcohol and sex do not mix — drunken sex is not consensual sex

15. Careful what you combine, most drugs and alcohol do not mix well. Be sure to read all warning

16. If you are pregnant, might be pregnant or attempting to become pregnant do not consume any type of alcoholic

\*from http://www.

#### 'Beer Bill' to benefit breweries



Andrew Podo @podostick

The "Beer Jobs Bill," created by state Sen. Hunter Hill, a Republican, went into effect over the beer industry to move average six pack) home. forward and reach more

industry is expanding. directly to customers, breweries statewide.

free souvenir. Customers cannot consume more

Georgia's craft brewing brewers from selling not allow direct sales.

There are nearly 40 it is a somewhat softer version of the law many The new bill allows the had hoped for. Prior to the craft brewers to charge for bill, beer makers relied on tours and offer beer as a wholesalers to distribute

than 36 ounces of beer at originally hoped to sell summer, officially allowing the brewery, but they can larger quantities of beer Georgia's growing craft take up to 72 ounces (the directly to consumers, the new legislation removes While the law reverses Georgia from a list of laws that prohibited craft three other states that do

## Know Your Beer:

A beginner's guide to the basics of brews



Katie Skogen @gcsunade

There's more out there than Bud Light pitchers and PBR tallboys. Craft beers have become a growing sensation in the past five years and continue to gain popularity. In order to become a true beer enthusiast, one must first know the basics of beer. We've broken down the categories of beer to help make you a true beer aficionado.

#### BLONDE ALE

Moderatly mild beer;

Pale to deep gold

Typically all malt brew;

Light to medium bitterness;

Light bodied;
Typically 4% - 7%

ABV

Knockout Blonde Lawson's Finest

(American Blonde

**Beers To Try** 

Liquids

Ale) 6.10% ABV

Hoptober Golden Ale
New Belgium
Brewing

Brewing
(American Blonde
Ale) 6.00% ABV









#### **Beers To Try**

Tropicalia Creature Comforts Brewery (American IPA) 6.50% ABV

Two Hearted Ale Bell's Brewery, Inc. (American IPA) 7.00% ABV

India Pale Ale;

Hoppy beer style;

Medium bodied with a high bitterness:

Ranges from pale golden to reddish amber colored;

Typically 5.50% - 7.50% ABV

#### PORTER



Moderately heavy

Hint of sweetness;

Typically contains chocolate flavors;

Made with brown

Typically 4% - 7.5% ABV

#### **Beers To Try**

Morning Wood Funky Buddha Brewery (American Porter) 12.00% ABV

Imperial Donut Break Evil Twin Brewery (American Porter) 11.50% ABV

Alaskan Smoked Porter Alaskan Brewing Company (American Porter) 6.50% ABV



#### LAGER

Mild flavors with a crisp finish;

Pale to golden color;

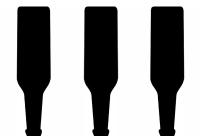
Conditioned at lowest temperatures before consumption;

Typically 2% - 5% ABV

#### Beers To Try Throwback Lager Victory Brewing Co. (American Lagar) 5.40% ABV

Bearpaw Honey Lager Whistler Brewing Co. (American Lager) 5.00% ABV

Marathon Athenian Brewery (American Lager) 5.00% ABV



#### PILSNER

A type of pale lager;

Medium to medium-full bodied;

Fresh pilsner will have a dense, white head;

Contain floral aromas and a dry, more bitter finish;

Typically 5.00% ABV



#### **Beers To Try**

Hil Farmstead Brewery (German Pilsner) 5.30% ABV

Two Women Lager New Glarus Brewing Company (German Pilsner) 5.00% ABV Reality Czeck Moonlight Brewing Company (Czech Pilsner) 4.80% ABV

Jack Straw Fat Head's Brewery & Saloon (Czech Pilsner) 5.20% ABV





#### **Beers To Try**

Moe's Bender Surly Brewing Company (American Brown Ale) 5.52% ABV

Indian Brown Ale Dogfish Head Brewery (American Brown Ale) 7.20% ABV

Extremely Naughty Goose Goose Island Beer Co. (American Brown Ale) 8.60% ABV

#### BROWN ALE

Malty and sweet, more full-bodied;

Typically contains coffee or nut flavors;

Typically 4.00% - 7.00% ABV

#### STOUT

Heavy, fullbodied beer;

Roasted, not malted;

Heavy roasted flavors such as coffee and chocolate;

Dark in color;

Typically 4% - 7% ABV



#### **Beers To Try**

God Complex The North Brewery (American Stout) 7.00% ABV

Breakfast Stout Backcountry Brewery (American Stout) 4.40% ABV

Feast of Fools Magic Hat Brewing Company (American Stout) 6.00% ABV

#### DRINK BECIDES

The Colonnade staff advocates drinking at a safe rate, so we collaborated drink recipes for 21-yearolds to enjoy at a healthy pace, for those under 21, certain drinks can be made without alcohol

mashing the ingredients

ogether in the bottom of the

shaker to ensure they flavor

s taken out of the mint and

lime wedges. You don't want

to create a nasty mush, just

enough to extract the juices It can be done with a spoon,

but a muddler is preferred.)

#### GRATEFUL DEAD An easy drink dedicated to an easy-listening band. 1 oz teguila 1/4 oz light rum 1/2 oz vodka Toz DeKnyper razzmatazz liquenr 1 oz sour mix

Build all ingredients in shaker with ice. Shake and pour into a tall glass. It should be a trippy, purple blue color. The razzmatazz flavor will make it sweet, and easy to sip.

OTILON

This minty, sweet drink goes down smooth, but don't be surprised if you order one and the bartender gives you a serious death stare.

We genuinely do not like people who order mojitos on a busy night.

14 oz liaht rum 2 oz soda water 2 tsp sugar 1/2 oz lime juice 6 mint leaves 3 lime wedges, cut in half

Muddle sugar, mint leaves and lime wedges in a shaker. Add rum, ice and lime juice. Shake and pour into tall glass. Top with soda water and garnish with lime

WHITE RUSSIAN

The idea of mixing coffee creamer and liquor can be intimidating, but if The Dude drinks them, I can get down with the idea. And if you don't like them, well, you know, that's just, like, your opinion man.

11/2 oz vodka 1 oz Kahlua 2 oz creamer or milk

In a short glass, pour ingredients over ice. Stir gently. This is a drink you want to look "swirled."

#### LONG ISLAND ICED TEA

For those drinkers that don't care what your drink tastes like.

1 oz vodka 1 oz light rum 1 oz gin 1 oz tequila 1 oz triple sec 2 OZ SOUY MIX Splash of Coke

Mix all alcoholic ingredients in shaker. Shake and pour into glass. Top with sour mix and then Coke. Garnish with lemon.

#### MOSCOW MULE

I'm not generally a vodka fan, but drinking out of the cute, copper mug is convincing enough to take on this super refreshing mix of lime and

2 oz vodka 1 oz fresh lime juice 5 oz ginger beer mint & lime garnish

Fill the copper mug with ice. Pour vodka, lime juice and beer directly into mug. Stir to combine the ingredients. Garnish with lime wedge \$ fresh mint.

(Or you can make a Kentucky Mule, which uses Vim Bean instead of vodka for us whiskey lovers)

#### FROZEN MUDSLIDE

Because when you're a stressed out college student nothing sounds better than ice cream and alcohol mixed.

11/2 oz Kahlua 11/2 oz vodka 1 oz Baileys 2 scoops vanilla ice cream Chocolate surup Whipped cream



In a tall glass, rim chocolate syrup around the sides of the glass. In a blender mix ice cream, Kahlua, Baileys and vodka until smooth. Pour into glass and top with whipped cream.

#### OLD FASHIONED

Although you will NEVER see a college student drinking one, every good bartender needs to know this one for when dear old dad visits.
Or if you're going through a serious "Mad Men" phase and feel inspired.

2 oz rye whiskey 2-3 dashes Angostura bilters 1 sugar cube Orange slice & cherry garnish

Lightly muddle sugar, bitters and a splash of water in short glass. Add ice, the less the better. Pour whiskey over mixture and stir. Drop the orange slice into the drink and garnish with two cherries.

#### SEX ON THE BEACH

This one can be made as a shot or as a drink; nonetheless it's every white girl's go-to when they don't want to taste their alcohol, but want to Instagram a drink on vacation. Because if you don't Instagram it, did it really happen?

11/2 oz vodka 1/2 peach schnapps 2 oz cranberry juice 2 oz orange jniče Orange slice \$ cherry garnish

Mix all ingredients in shaker. Shake and pour into tall glass. Garnish with orange slice and maraschino cherries.



#### COSMOPOLITAN

For the girls who don't order the Sex on the Beach.

11/4 oz citrus vodka 3/4 oz Cointreau\* 1/2 oz lime juice 1 oz cranberry juice lime twist for garnish

Mix all ingredients in shaker. Shake vigorously and strain into martini glass. Like the martini, this is served straight up, with no ice. Garnish with a lime twist over the rim.



An easy, classic drink, but with my personal twist to create the perfect margarita.

Make it on the rocks, frozen margaritas aren't real margaritas.

2 oz Patron Reposada (or any gold tequila - I get it, you're on a loz Grand Marnier (Gran Gala is 1/2 the price, and close to just as

good) 1/2 oz agave necter 2 oz fresh lime Juice Splash of Orange Juice

Build all ingredients in shaker with ice. Shake. Salt your rim. Pour into margarita glass. Garnish with lime wedge. Adding flavors is always fun too. My favorites are pomegranate or red grapefruit juice.



This fruity drink is easy for days at the beach, or lounging around at the pool. There's fruit in it, so it has to be healthy, right?

2 oz Bacardi Limon 4 oz strawberry puree Splash of lemonade

Pour all ingredients into blender with ice and blend. Garnish with a line wedge.

#### BLOODY MARY

Don't buy the mix, please just don't. Make it with the ingredients individually and this hangover-curing drink will do the trick with a way tastier kick.

2 Hosp hot sauce 4 oz tomato juice 2 drops olive oil 2 oz vodka 2 Hosp lime juice 1/2 Hosp. black pepper Celery and green olive for 1 Hbsp cilantro Celery 1/2 Hbsp. Worcestershire sance garnish

Mix all ingredients together in shaker. Pour into tall glass. Garnish with celery and green olives. Bloody Marys are fun because you can garnish them with almost anything. Some people put bacon, cherry tomatoes, black olives, etc. You can really just go crazy with this one.

#### MIMOSA

This cocktail is the perfect amount of fruity and sweet, and can only be drank with a brunch of fine fruits and crepes.

2 oz champagne 3 oz orangejnice

Serve straight up in a champagne flute.

#### A Milledgeville classic, but I don't think we realize how harshly people judge us when we explain we're ordering them a shot with pickle juice and hot sauce.

1 oz vodka 1 oz pickle jnice 1 oz hot sance

Shake and strain into shot glass.



gin, but vodka is becoming nore popular. dirty martin means to add olive juice to rodka mixture. A dry martin

#### RED WINE SANGRIA

This sweet mix of wine and fruit is usually made by the pitcher and enjoyed at bridal showers or a bunch of girlfriends getting together.

3 oranges, sliced 2 lemons, sliced 1 bottle red wine, preferably 1 cup strawberries, sliced cabernet sauvignon 1/2 cup brandy 1 cup peaches, sliced 1/4 cup triple sec

Mix all ingredients well in a pitcher. Cover and refrigerate for about 3 hours to let all the flavors mix in. You can really add any fruits you want. The best part is eating the alcohol-drenched fruit after all the juice is gone.

Vack Torrence's drink of choice, martinis are interesting drinks because they can be as lemon or pomegranate is made about a million different ways. Dry, dirty, lemon-drop or pomegranate, this drink does the job in the most classy glass.

2 oz vodka or gin 1/2 oz vermouth

First, pour ice and soda water in martini glass and let chill for a few minutes. The glass being cold is essential. Next, dump soda water and ice and splash vermouth into glass. Swirl it around and toss out any extra In a shaker, shake vodka with ice until very chilled. Strain into glass, making sure no ice gets into the glass. Garnish with green olive.

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## Haley Sheram @gcsunade a favorite

Know what to order to be healthy

students, but a lot do not can quickly add up and suggestion of a healthy realize the calorie intake of a single alcoholic beverage. For instance, a 12 pack of Bud Light contains 1,320 calories, and a double Whopper with cheese and a medium fry from Burger make. King is 1,350 calories.

According to Livestrong. com, one 10-ounce drink of whiskey and Coke is around 195 calories.

multiple drinks the calories

Bartenders downtown will gladly suggest and make healthier, low-calorie

Senior accounting major When consuming Rachel Leff is a bartender at the Velvet Elvis, and her

easily cause weight gain.

There are plenty of low-

carb, low-calorie alcoholic

beverage options that are

still enjoyable and easy to

Not to worry, though.

Vodka is not the only healthy option for liquor. Gringos bartender and sophomore marketing major Alex Adams suggests a Skinny-Rita margarita for a healthier tequila drink choice.

Ultra for a low-carb beer.

Some students are not

only watching their calorie

intake, but may also have an

intolerance to gluten. Senior

international marketing

major Dani Bonet bartends

at The Brick and said that

Tito's Vodka is probably the

healthiest vodka option, and

it is gluten free.

The Skinny-Rita contains two ounces of 1800 silver tequila, three ounces of water, half of an ounce of agave nectar, one ounce of Splenda, one venture out downtown.

cocktail is vodka, water and orange juice and two limes. a splash of lime juice. Leff Counting calories is also suggests Michelob

not the only downfall to drinking alcohol; spending money on drinks can be, too. To save some money, it is fun and easy to make drinks from the comfort of

For wine lovers, a glass or two of a skinny white wine cocktail can do the trick. The recipe from The Weary Chef calls for three or four fresh, diced strawberries, one-fourth lime, two ounces of white wine and an unsweetened, lime-flavored seltzer such as La Croix.

With the small ingredient list and little preparation time, the skinny white wine cocktail can be made on a low budget and enjoyed at home, instead of having to

and similarities, in the

drinking culture in Europe. Even with the drinking

than in the United States, the trend to drink under age is still strong across Europe. Friends from Ireland and England would go out to

adventure this year. Since the legal drinking age in Italy is 18, I was able to have my first sips mind you) life is a bit years of adulthood in a foreign country (yet still under my parents' supervision).

I walked onto my Atlanta-bound flight campus bars are almost knowing for certain that I liked only one alcoholic stay in Italy. No matter activities and sexual assault what my international or prevention seminars, first American friends say, weeks at European schools everything just tastes the have pub crawls and house same, bitter and unpleasing. parties.

But that's beside the more was the differences, hardcore drinking games.

against each other in drinking contests. Going age three years younger out for drinks is a social

Once the 21st birthday comes along, the excitement of drinking has dulled. I witnessed the town race track or farm this personally when my and drink around 14-years- friends decided they wanted old. A German friend told to see me drink my first and spritz are all Italian of her experience with adult beverage at a club drinking delicacies that underage drinking. This is one night. They practically I had the opportunity to a right of passage for young ran to the bar, they were so try in my summer Italian teenagers, similar to that of excited because, as they young high schoolers in the put it, they hadn't known someone who was going University (not college, to have their first drink in

different as well. Since And the administrators drinking is legal for most at the Universita' di Milano incoming freshmen, schoolserved all us students Italian sparkling wine for an end sponsored parties and of the course celebration commonplace. Instead of an and took us on a field trip to a local place that makes innocent Week of Welcome drink my entire seven-week with team bonding handmade limoncello that smells deceivingly sweet as it packs a strong punch.

Even though both are westernized cultures, the drinking habits and cultures Europeans don't drink to have subtle but strong point. What amazed me get drunk. They don't play differences. Who's to say Georgia College Theatre & Dance Present



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**Guide to Georgia Breweries** 

#### **ONF** TERRAPIN BEER CO

brainchild of John Cochran and Brian "Spike" Buckowski. In April 2002, Terrapin graced the craft beer community with its in which they were hoping first product. The Rye Pale to create.

name for itself by winning the American Pale Ale Gold Medal at the 2002 Great American

Beer Festival.

an easy place to return for Terrapin was the Cochran, a former UGA graduate. Spike and John knew from the beginning that the home base should be as diverse as the products Both Athens and

Six months after Terrapin alike are possess the company's a great love for music, inception, it had are committed to the already made a environment, and practice living life to the fullest.

What better place to call home than Athens? Year-Round Brews:

Terrapin Rye, Golden Ale (only in Georgia). Hopsecutioner, Liquid Athens, Georgia was Bliss, RecreationAle, and com

Terrapin's Moo Hoo. The brand has a killer aesthetic with great tasting beers, and it's from my home state of Georgia. What's not to love?" said Payton Collier, senior environmental science major.

Terrapin Beer Co. is open to the public for tasting & tours every Wednesday-Sunday. Hours of operation may vary by

For more information, visit online at terrapinbeer

SweetWater Brewing Company was founded February 17, 1997 after Freddy Bensch and Kevin McNerney left the the capacity to brew up to Taylor, senior University of Colorado,

The two roommates gravitated to Atlanta for the Olympics and immediately realized that the city was in need of a West Coast style brewery.

After a time spent wandering around Atlanta were eventually pointed in the direction of Virginia Highlands where a few

Hookah

E-Cigs

Vaporizer

Tye Dyes

Kratom

Shisha

· E-luice

Incense

bars were willing to take a

In 2004, SweetWater relocated to a 25,000 sq. ft. warehouse in Midtown Atlanta. The brewery has 400,000 barrels of beer per

spring, SweetWater puts on the doesn't fill you SweetWater 420 Fest, An annual musical event held in Atlanta on the weekend that falls closest to Earth Day. Past performers include: Snoop Dogg, Thievery Corporation, Cage the Elephant, Cold War Kids, and many more.

Year-Round Brews:

420, Blue, IPA, Georgia Brown, Take Two Pils, Hop Hash.

"Their IPA is my personal favorite." said Jackson geography major. "It has

Open to public Wednesday-Sunday, Hours of operation may vary by

For more information, visit online at sweetwaterbrew com

Athens' newest brewery was the result of three experienced individuals, all hailing from separate, vet respectable companies in the Atlanta area coming together. David Stein Adam Beauchamp, and eventually Chris Herron.

Creature Comforts is located in a 13,000 sq. ft. historic warehouse building in downtown Athens. A building which has had many purposes. including a Chevy Dealership in the early 1940's and later becoming the Snow Tire Co. until

Creature Comforts moved a small, tight-knit group in and made it their home.

Year-Round Brews: Bibo, Tropicália, Reclaimed Rye, Athena.

"I love the cosmik debris," said Connor Smith senior outdoor education major. "It's the smoothest double IPA I've ever had. It takes your taste buds on a voyage that defies space and time. I personally enjoy how

Open to public Tuesday-Saturday. Hours of operation may vary.

of employees that are

striving to maintain the

history of Athens through

their building. The fact

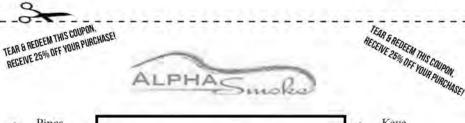
that they chose to leave

the old snow tire company

logo on their building sets

them apart.

For more nformation involved the company is visit on line at with its community. With creaturecomfortsbeer.com



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a small red brick building in 1993 and remained there until moving locations in 2006.

craft brewery.

Red Brick has participated in several collaboration projects, arguably the most popular

with Vortex Bar and Grill

by former Guinness

executive, Greg Kelly,

Red Brick Brewing Co. is

Georgia's oldest operating

The company began in

In 2010, Atlanta Brewing Company officially changed its name to what is now Red Brick Brewing Company.

the company took its name from a speech that the Atlanta mayor gave shortly after Sherman torched the city during the civil War. Allegedly the mayor said, "The city will rise from the ashes like a phoenix" and be being the collaboration rebuilt "one red brick at

Year-Round Brews:

Hoplanta (American IPA), Laughing Skull (American Amber Ale),), Hibiscuwit (Belgian Legend has it that Witbier), "Casual'

Open to public Wednesday-Sunday Hours of Operation may

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# COLLEGE

#### Flashback to GC in the 80s

Assistant entertainment editor Kelsey Richardson sits down with her parents to discuss what life was like for GC students in the early 80s



Kelsey Richardson

@gcsunade

Imagine a time when open container laws were From 7 to 7:30 p.m., non-existent and freshmen could legally drink.

A time when student affairs hosted events with beer trucks and bars were filled with dancing instead of sitting and standing. This radical time flourished in the 80s at our very own Georgia College.

Freshmen entered college, leaving the comfort of their parents' homes to a wild threshold of partying, legal drinking and unfortunately, high DUI rates.

"Animal House"

GC's party scene. It notorious brand. inspired rowdier parties, more togas and higher alcohol consumption.

Downtown's popular bar, Butches, even hosted "beat the clock nights." students bought beer for a nickel. The price continued to double every half hour.

"Bad games like that would make people totally wasted," said Andy Richardson, an early 80s graduate and GC alumnus. 'They probably don't have things like that anymore because it promotes drunkenness.

The old women's center, also known as Beeson, took on a different name in the 80s. The building was a male dorm infamously titled "The Beeson Abusers." The premiered and brought a dorm's reputation of alcohol

Unlike most dorms where drinking was suitcase school reputation, prohibited, Beeson making Thursday the night magically managed to to party. Downtown only deflect the attention of public safety. Residents threw raging parties and passed out fliers to students throughout campus. They illegally charged students entrance fees to help with the overflow of alcohol.

The dorm's best spot "Beeson Beach" was an area on the roof containing lawn chairs overlooking main campus. "Guys would sit on

Beeson's roof, beer in hand, and yell at girls passing by, said Susan Richardson, an early 80s graduate and GC alumna. "I was one of those girls."

"I don't know if our

Despite the drastic differences between now wave of influence over and drug use sparked the and the 80s, the downtown drink.

scene remained similar. Even in the 80s, GC held its had two places worth going to during the nighttime: The Opera House and Butches. A disco dance floor lit up

The Opera House, making it a hot spot for dancing and for GC's disco dance class to take exams. Despite the Opera House's appeal, students preferred the dirty. homely atmosphere of Butches. The popular bar had personality and history that couldn't be replaced by its clean alternative.

times were more fun, Susan Richardson said. ' I do wish there were more dance places; it's just way more fun than a bar where you just sit around and

#### Drinking alternatives



Makayla Hays

Some nights simply are not for drinking. Or maybe

spent sober is just as fun as drinking. So what are alternatives to drinking here

The downtown scene: Food, food, food. Many of these restaurants are open late, so grab some friends and get nachos at Barberito's. Grab some fried chicken and biscuits at the Golden Pantry at midnight. And just because doesn't mean you can't go a field. to the bars. Go to the bars just to hang out. Dance at

Capitol. The dorm scene: There's almost always something weekends are pretty much going on in the dorms,

from movie nights to game nights to video game tournaments. Cards against Humanity is a classic. Set up a slack line or an ENO hammock outside. If you're alone, Netflix will always be there for you. Sleeping too—never throw out that option. CAs will throw random events at the dorm

you're willing to spend a little money, there's laser tag, bowling and skating, and usually you can get a discount with a student ID. Along with these activities, there's also the movie theater. You can never go wrong with breakfast food, and Waffle House, as we all know, is open 24/7 — same with iHOP. If you don't want to touch your wallet, hang out at the greenway, you don't want to drink, or go watch the sunset in

> You can make a cup in your hand, and it's

### Weekends: more than just drinking



Andrew Podo @podostick

Those two (or three) glorious days without obligation to wake up on time, sit through class bike and enjoy the changing ever-looming threat of coursework are meant to be enjoyed and cherished. While many students may not believe it, there's always something fun, cheap and memorable to do on those days.

on their way, there are few things more sublime than grabbing a hammock or blanket and heading down the road to Bartram Forest. Take a trek down the walking trails, or grab your and worry about the foliage. The Oconee River Greenway provides another scenic destination to spend the autumn afternoons.

> To get a bit more in tune with nature, go to the dam; bring some binoculars, and admire the ospreys, redtailed hawks and great blue

Photo Courtesy of Eric Day

Assistant news editor Andrew Podo canoes in Northern Maine

can spot one of few the bald eagles native to the area.

On those not so nice days, head over to to strike your fancy, there's Baldwin Bowling Center always the world-famous and channel everybody's Milledgeville Mall. After a few of the big name favorite Jeff Bridges' flick. doing a few laps around the flicks, but if you've made someone. Only boring With the crisp fall days herons. If you're lucky, you Hang out, kick back and local shopping center, take the trek out of town, there people get bored.

a bit longer to check out the high-end shopping in knock down those pins. Just To save a bit of money watch out for nihilists

the movies are always a If the bowling alley fails nice option. Milledgeville's movie theater always has

stores in the areas. If you're

up for the 45-minute drive

to Macon, the Shoppes

at River Crossing offer

a surprising amount of

variety. Or, you can drive

a trip to Macon or Atlanta are a variety of movie to hit some of the larger theaters showing budget flicks, foreign movies or blockbuster action films Daring film enthusiasts can travel 100 miles to see independent masterpieces at Landmark Theaters Midtown Art Cinema.

> Don't forget that there's always a way to have fun at home. Watch a movie, play a board game with vour roommates or make a fancy dinner for that special



#### Experience Oktoberfest



Richardson @gcsunade

Oktoberfest: one of the attracting over six million people a year for 16 days of beer drinking, lederhosen wearing and wiener schnitzel feasting.

Hildburghausen. The party's festivities lasted from Oct. 12 to Oct. 17 world's largest festivals, and ended with a horse race. The celebration turned into a yearly festival and moved to start in September because of the preferred warmer weather conditions.

took place in 1810 as a lie in Munich, Germany blue and white diamond

Bavarian Crown Prince multiple locations across of beer and girls dressed in Ludwig and Princess the globe. Most festivals dirndl. Therese von Sachsen- consist of traditional can almost always expect to find barrels of beer on tap served in giant steins. For those wanting

Oktoberfest experience, fly Oktoberfest's roots 310,000 square meters of 17 to Nov. 1 and offers free

wedding party for the and have expanded to flags, overflowing steins

Helen, Georgia provides German food, attractions a local, cheaper alternative and beer. Festival goers to celebrating the German festival. As one of the largest Oktoberfests in the states, the small German town offers a myriad of to get the true German beer, food, polka dancing and live music. Helen's to Munich and experience Oktoberfest lasts from Sep. admission on Sundays.



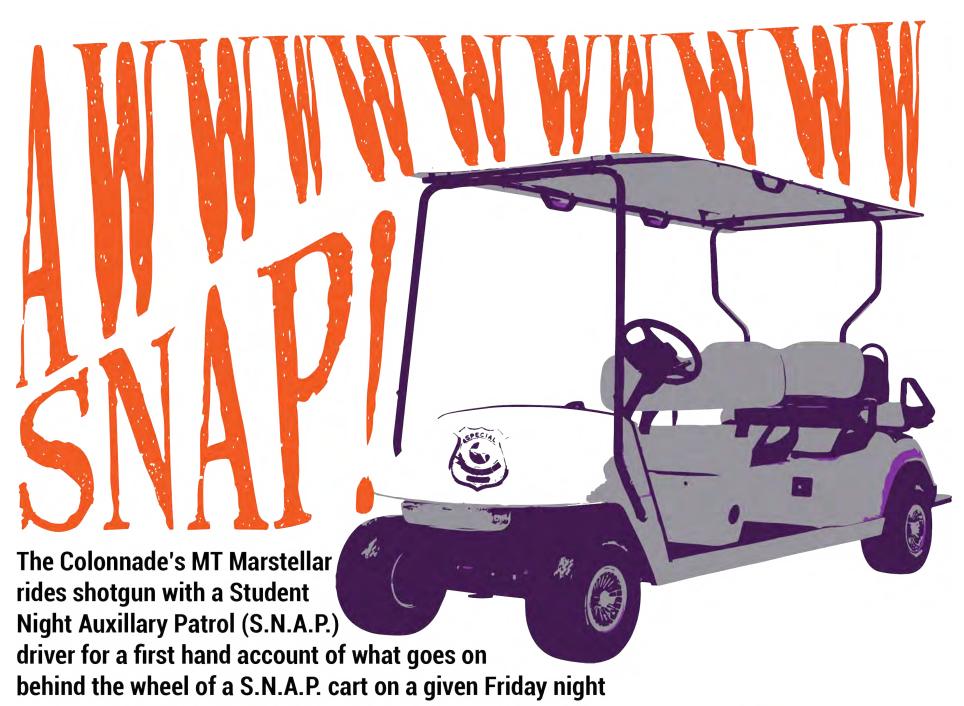
ou just don't drink. Although we're no Atlanta, Milledgeville is, honestly, what you make of it. With some good friends and definitely some good food, a Saturday night

in Milledgeville?

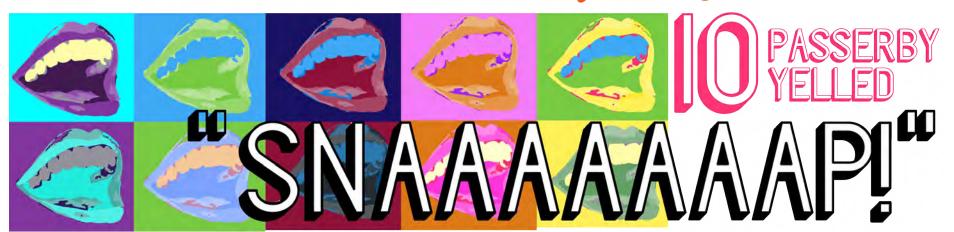
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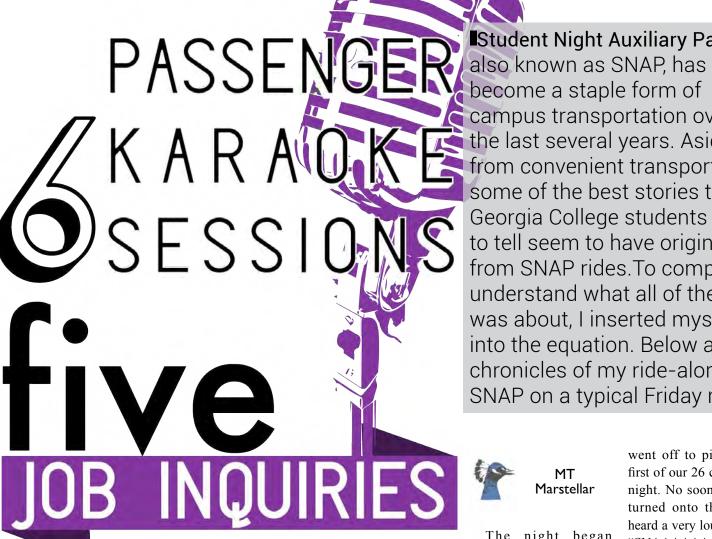
weekend fun without a (usually) cheaper too. Your





MJ's cart took
26 calls that night







#selfie requests

one priority for our riders" said Zuber, a senior early

Student Night Auxiliary Patrol, campus transportation over the last several years. Aside from convenient transportation, some of the best stories that Georgia College students have to tell seem to have originated from SNAP rides. To completely understand what all of the fuss was about, I inserted myself into the equation. Below are the chronicles of my ride-along with SNAP on a typical Friday night.

The night began promptly at midnight at the Hall House, the new headquarters for both SNAP and public safety. Security Supervisor Shea Zuber explained how SNAP is currently in the process of expanding. Now employing 21 officers, SNAP runs seven days a week, running five carts on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights

"Safety is our number childhood development

After the tour, we headed off to a brand new, still unnamed, 6-seater cart that SNAP has acquired to replace Bertha, another beloved 6-seater cart that earlier in the semester. This new cart is the fastest cart

went off to pick up the

first of our 26 calls of the night. No sooner had we turned onto the road, I heard a very loud, audible "SNAAAAAAAPPPPPP" from students as we drove by. This would become a common phrase of passersby for the evening.

Our first group of passengers hopped on the cart and immediately began inquiring about how they too could become SNAP drivers because it seemed like "the coolest job on campus." That was the first of five job requests of the

The next call we picked up was a priority call. Zuber explained that single person calls and campus locations receive priority over calls for the Old Courthouse.

The next hour of the shift was spent picking up students from the Old Courthouse and delivering them back to their homes. During this hour, song ideas

sessions among the passengers, as well as four snapchat selfie requests.

After 1:30 a.m., the call list became surprisingly light for the fact that it was a Friday night and that the night fell in conjunction with fraternity bid day

This gave me time to talk to other SNAP drivers about how they feel about their job.

"Being a SNAP driver is the best job on campus," junior biology major Lauren Cryder said. "The best part is all the people I get to meet, from my awesome coworkers to the people I meet when I pick up.'

The remainder of the evening was fairly slow. with calls tapering off around 2:30 a.m. At 2:50 a.m., Zuber radioed me in as the last "1059" (the code for a ride that has arrived at their destination) and gave her officers the okay to head back to Hall House to end another successful night of SNAP rides.

SNAP not only provides a safe means of transportation for students downtown, but also around campus in general.

"I really like SNAP because it is convenient to have transportation to and from campus. I also really like the factor of safety that it adds to traveling around Milledgeville at night" said Hannah Shirley, a sophomore early childhood education major.

With all of the controversy surrounding the shootings that have taken place near campus over the last few months, for the portable speaker Georgia College students that was accompanying us can rest assured that SNAP became a regular request. is here to take them safely From Hall House, we This led to six karaoke to where they need to go.

## OPINION



## OUT OF SIGHT



A picturesque suburban neighborhood, lawns, friendly neighbors and a house full of wholesome items describe my childhood. Not once did I ever see a dark glass bottle or a can that wasn't some kind of soda. Alcohol was not present or talked about in my house.

When I was in seventh grade, I distinctly remember in seventh grade my parents being offered a glass of wine at their friend's house. I had never seen my parents drink alcohol before or even discuss it, so seeing this trading of glasses tore my heart in two. I bawled mv eves out, causing an awkward scene for my

Fast forward five years, and I was on my way to college. No parents, no rules or checking in from family members, so I took this opportunity to experience college nightlife. During my freshmen year, I did not

go too "hard." However, sophomore year was completely different story. There were several nights that I went overthe-top, embarrassed my friends, exposed myself and acted a fool. Now as a senior, I am finally responsibly. I'll have a drink while doing homework or while having a girl's night with friends. I know my limit. Unfortunately, I could've

saved myself from a lot of blurred nights, but I didn't. Yes, we all have to take some form of Alcohol Edu when we enter college, but many students do not heed that information. school also has repercussions for underage drinking. If caught, Georgia College makes attend more students Alcohol Edu classes. But, is it really doing anything? Change starts by hitting rock bottom or friends/ family reaching out. Everyone's rock bottom is different. For me, it was completely undressing myself with my male best friend, and falling down, causing my friend to pick me up while I was unclothed. Needless to children. For now, be say, it wasn't my proudest

moment. Nevertheless, I

have changed

I really wish my parents

had introduced alcohol in my house before my freshman year. Immersing myself in college with no knowledge of drinking, except the scraps that high school health classes taught, provided no help. I am not saying my parents should have let me drink underage, but instead of ignoring the presence of it in the world, they should have encouraged me to talk about it. There is a group of people who have always had alcohol present in their lives, but still have those crazy nights. There are many negative consequences of drinking, but you can also have a fantastic night. Alcohol in safe quantities and safe environments can be an enjoyable time. Whether you are of age or not, have an accountability partner. Since April, I am finally of age, and my parents still don't allow me to drink at home. If my parents don't see me do it. I don't think they believe I partake in it. As far as I am concerned, I will be doing things differently when I have safe Bobcats, and drink

#### The next morning:

How to not be hungover



Derek Roberts Senior, Mass

they're Hangovers. girlfriend's parents. You hate having to deal with them, yet having to deal with them is inevitable. Nothing is worse than having the time

of your life, partying all keep you modest. They're night and then waking up there to remind you of last feeling like Chuck Norris roundhouse kicked you in

It's all fun and games when you wake up and you're still buzzed, but you start preaching the famous claim, "I'm never let's not forget, hangovers morning.

night's mistakes.

But have no fear; there can do to help prevent hangovers, or at least once the hangover sets in, them. And, if that doesn't work, there are also multiple ways to combat drinking again." However, your hangover the next

How to avoid hangovers:

Eat a balanced meal before you start drinking. Make sure you're hydrated before you start drinking. Stay away from sugary drinks. Don't chug drinks. Consume only one alcoholic drink per hour. Don't mix different types of liquor. Don't take shots. One shot leads to two shots. For every alcoholic drink you consume, drink a glass of water. Don't pass out as soon as you're done drinking. After you're done drinking, eat something. At the end of the night, drink more water. Go to bed early enough to get six-eight hours of sleep.

How to combat hangovers:

Hit the snooze button. Go back to sleep. Drink some water as soon as you wake up. After the water settles, drink some Gatorade of your choice. Take a BC Powder. Take a multivitamin.

Eat. Greasy foods help coat the lining of your stomach. Drink more water. Hangovers=dehydration. Exercise, and sweat your toxins out. It sucks, but it's worth it. If you have to puke, then puke. Don't hold it in. Drink more water.

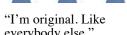
Get some potassium; eat a few bananas.



## COLONNADE BAR REVIEWS

The Colonnade staff reviews bars in downtown Milledgeville based on their experiences during college





"Deadturtles."

"The Norm plays there; therefore, I go there.

"Go Downtown. Look for Colonnade co-workers. Go to Buffington's

"Where you know you'll see every student from your Mass Comm classes, ever."

"Can we go smoke a cigarette in the alley?'

"~HiPsTeR~"

'My second favorite barbehind Buffs."

'I can't sing, but I'm a pro



"It's where you

"I have \$18. \*Pulls out calculator\* How many PBRs can I get with \$18?"

second only to the alley

at swaying to Bohemian Rhapsody."



go when you tell everybody you like beer, but you really don't.'

"I feel like the layout of the bar is hard for events. Like, if The Norm is there, I don't want to fight with an

awkwardly placed pillar to see Bryan and



"I go there for the live

"The bartenders are cute."

"Terrapin on deck. Not that expensive either. That's a winner in my

"They've got some really groovy bands



"I was in there once. It was like I got punched AND slapped in the face with a cigarette.'

"Don't have a cigarette? Just breathe in the air. Almost the same thing.

"Cheap beer."

"This is low-key a great bar. Like, it's so chill

"They just want to shoot pool and drink Old Milwaukee.'

"Don't put your beer can on the pool table.

> "Honestly, my favorite place. Beer, no college kids and pool. What else could you ask for?"

#### THE BRICK

"Easiest trivia in Milledgeville- makes me feel good about myself

"TBH, I danced on a table at Sounds of the South last year. It broke."

"SWEET TART SHOTS"

"Oh my gosh, shots are only \$2!"

#### GRINGOS:

"Margaritas. Queso. I dig it."

"I don't understand how that itty-bitty place has live music. Like, I feel like their max people limit is two."

"Late. Night. Queso. Never forget."

"I love margs."

"I feel like I should be drinking Dos Equis at all points in time."

#### CAPITAL CITY.

"Afroman is the best thing they have going."

"You know it's an interesting night when you end up there until closing"

"I danced on a table at Capital one time. That's embarrassing"

#### AUBRI LANES.

"I hear there's a bank vault for a wine cellar. So, if you steal a bottle of wine, will you be charged with bank robbery?"

"Aubris makes me realize I haven't bought new clothes in a while."

"I always feel so underdressed here. Even if all the guys are wearing croakies, boat shoes, and Izod polos. I still just feel like I should be in a 3-piece suit.

"Fish bowl--easiest way to make friends with strangers."

"Cute bartenders here, too."

#### VELVET. "I'm not frat enough to be at

'Too frat to care."

'\$2 glasses of wine during happy hour are bae.

#### CHOPS:

"Apparently there's a back entrance Traverse carefully.

"I've actually ONLY pooped in Chops. Like, that's it

"Too many freshman boys."

"They need to install a rampdefinitely not drunk and handicap friendly

Margarita: "These girls

wanna get turnt. You

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the summer and on a

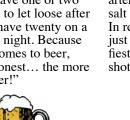
patio. #basic.'

### DRINKING STEREOTYPES

#### Girl writing about guy stereotypes

Wine- "Even though this wine came from a box that cost under seven dollars, I have more class than you. At least I want you to think I do. Because really behind this glass half-filled with bitter, red liquid, I'm still only dreaming of the day when I can look down on people at my annual Christmas

Beer- "I'm a simple, social guy who appreciates quantity more than quality. Although my humble Natty Light may not seem like much, I can still chug, funnel, sip or shotgun it. I can have one or two beers just to let loose after class, or have twenty on a Thursday night. Because when it comes to beer, let's be honest... the more

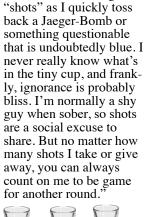


Margarita- "I wanted an excuse to eat tacos, order a pitcher of something and potentially get away with wearing a sombrero in public. I love to have fun as I unknowingly clog my arteries with all the extra salt I add to my drink. In reality, margaritas are just a gateway to the real fiesta... straight tequila



Whiskey Coke- "Whiskey makes me feel like I will always have a good story to tell. It makes me feel like I have power, class and wit, just like all the other great whiskey-coke-drinking men before me. Ignoring the fact that I take a hardcore dark liquor and completely soften it with a high-sugar beverage that instantly invites horrible headache that awaits me in the morning, I find my ego growing just to be known as a 'whisky-drinker.'





Shots-"I secretly hear

L.M.F.A.O. chanting







Long Island Iced Tea-

"I'm not going to lie..

I originally didn't know

there wasn't any tea in

this, but I'm strangely

hooked. Although, it kind

of makes me feel like a

night with her girlfriends

cheers to deceiving drink

names. Tonight should be

going out on a Friday



#### Girls writing about girl stereotypes

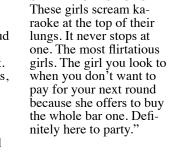
Wine: "I'm a classy b\*\*\*h. There's a difference between sippin' on wine and getting wine drunk. Girls that sip wine are classy and girls that get wine drunk are fun. These are the kind of girls that care what they look like, they watch their calories. No beer guts for them. Props to you, ladies. You can tell who's a wine veteran...girl's drinking Moscato don't know shit, Try the Cabernet. (try a glass of cab)"



Beer: "Like's to drink with guys. A dude's kind of girl. Likes to tailgate at football games and would rather be drinking than putting on makeup to go out. Beer-snobs are hard to find. PBR, Bud Light, Coors and Miller are the top picks. She's not hard to please. This is your kind of girl because her drinks don't cost a lot. They're the best. A pitcher of beer and a glass of wine cost about the same, and although you wouldn't drink a pitcher on a candle-lit date these girls aren't looking for that romance anyway.'



Whiskey coke: "These girls really don't give a shit. Usually double drink tequila when you're fisting with a PBR or Bud looking for a good time. Light. Not your basic You can never drink just girls' drink. Just the best. who don't like margs are Don't care about calories, the ones who have a bad can share a handle with tequila story, usually from their guy friends and spring breaks. Best served probably has an obscure with mexican food, during piercing and a tattoo. These girls are edgy and are always looking for a good time."



Shots: "LOL. SHOTS.

Long Island Iced Tea: "50-year-old women drink Long Island Iced Tea. Not the most popular drink at the bar, but popular enough to keep it a classic. It's got five different alcohols in it, so there's bound to be a taste vou like somewhere. Not the first drink that these girls order...usually comes later in the night...after a couple of drinks, or a lot



Katie Skogen

Taylor Hembree







of drinks."





## SERVICES

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R & S Cab Co.

(478) 452-0150

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**Tuft's Taxi Service** 

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**Sugar Shack Taxicabs** 

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Smith's Taxi

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Smith's Taxi Inc.

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(478) 453-7422

## SAFETY

**SNAP** 

(478) 445-7627

8 p.m. - 3 a.m.

most nights

**GC Public Safety** 

(478) 445-4054

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7 days a week

## RESOURCES

Area 16 AA Meetings

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(478) 455-5331 Call to make appointment